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December 1873.

1. The statements of account of the Company for the half-year to the 30th June last are herewith submitted to the proprietors.

The capital account shows the following results:—

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2. The mileage open for traffic is 1218 miles, viz., 1,000 previously reported and 19 miles, the branch to the Maypeul coal mines. Of this, 7.5 miles are double line, and 95.5 miles are single line. The number of trains miles run during the half-year was 2,105,722 against 2,274,443 miles in the corresponding half-year of 1872, being a reduction of 270,718 miles.

3. The gross receipts amounted to £1,668,212 4 10
And the expenditure (including amounts charged to Capital funds) to [illegible] 660,682 30 10

Leaving as net profit [illegible] £1,007,529 13 8

For the corresponding period the net profit amounted to £458,291 to 10d.

4. The expenditure of the half-year (exclusive of the sum amount added from revenue to the capital funds, amounted to 50 per cent of the gross receipts, against 51·30 per cent corresponding half-year.

5. The receipts, compared with those of the corresponding period, were as follows:—

	30th June, 1873.	30th June, 1872.	Increase.	Decrease.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]